

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Forest Department – Constitution of *Telangana Haritha Mitra Awards (THMA)* – Certain Terms and Conditions of selection of Awardees for Telangana Haritha Mitra Awards – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 37

Dated: 02-11-2017

Read the following:

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.71,EFS&T(For.I) Dept, dt.19.10.2014.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.22,EFS&T(For.I) Dept, dt.19.05.2016.
- 3) G.O.Rt.No.46,EFS&T(For.I) Dept, dt.31.03.2017.
- 4) From the PCCF, Telangana, Hyd., Rc. No.1459/2017/SF-III, dt.12.07.2017.

O R D E R:

In the G.O. 1st read above, orders were issued constituting District level and State Level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee for continuous monitoring of the progress of implementation of Telangana Ku Haritha Haaram (TKHH) Programme.

2. In the G.O. 2nd read above, orders were issued constituting of Telangana Haritha Mitra Awards (THMA) to encourage and recognize the efforts done by individuals and organizations in increasing tree cover in the State.

3. In the G.O.3rd read above, orders were issued revising the District Level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee constituted in the G.O.1st read above, due to re-organization of the Districts in the State.

4. In his letter 4th read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad has reported that, in order to ensure more intense and deeper engagement of people and to encourage the student community in a big way, he has proposed to increase the scope of the awards which will not only ensure maximum participation from all corners of the society but also help in a successful implementation of the programme. The educational institutions at various levels in the state are being proposed for the awards in order to involve the students in a big way as they will be the future torch bearer of the programme.

5. After careful consideration of the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad, Government in supersession of the orders issued in the G.O. 2nd read above, hereby re-constitute *Telangana Haritha Mitra Awards (THMA)*, with the following categories, terms and Conditions:-

I. District level Awards

A. Individual Category:

- i) peoples' representatives and General Public.
- ii) Forest Department, Rural Development Department, other Government Departments.

B. Institutional Category:

- i) Best Mandal.
- ii) Best Gram Panchayats.

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- iii) Best ward in Urban local bodies.
- iv) Best Educational institution. and
- v) Best Government Department.

II. State Level Awards:

A. Individual Category:

- i) Best officer in Forest Department, RD Department & Other Government Departments,
- ii) Best Peoples' representative, and,
- iii) Best in General Public.

A. Institutional Category:

- i) Best District, Gram Panchayat, Municipality, Corporation, Mandal,
- ii) Best Educational institutions including Universities,
- iii) Best Corporate bodies, Wards in GHMC and
- iv) Best Government Department

6. The awardees in the individual categories will be given a cash award of Rs.1.00 Lakh and the awardees in the institutional category will be given cash awards ranging from 2.00 Lakhs to 8.00 Lakhs at district level. Similarly, the cash award in the individual category at State Level will be Rs.2.00 Lakh and in the institutional category at State Level ranging from Rs.5.00 Lakhs to 15.00 Lakhs depending the type of institutions.

7. The details of all categories of awards indicating the cash award in each category at district and state level are shown in the Annexure appended to this order.

8. The applications for District and State Level awards shall be invited by the concerned District Forest Officer being the Member Convener of District Level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee for Telanganaku Haritha Haram constituted vide G.O.Rt.No.46, EFS&T (For.I) Dept., dated 31.03.2017 read above, after giving vide publicity for all the categories of awards for their respective district. The District level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee for Telanganaku Haritha Haram shall scrutinize and evaluate all the applications and recommend awardees and send the list of such awardees to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad who is the Member Convener to the State level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee for Telanganaku Haritha Haram constituted vide G.O.Rt.No.71, EFS&T(For.I) Dept, dated 19.10.2014 read above, for finalizing the awardees in each category and submitting the list to the Government for final approval and notification, to present these awards to the awardees on the Republic Day, 26th of January every year.

9. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad, shall adhere to the following time lines to invite the applications for the awards after giving vide publicity, scrutinizing and evaluating the applications and for final approval by the Government:-

- i) Invitation of applications for all categories of awards at District and State Level by District Forest Officer of respective districts on or before 30th October of every year;
 - ii) Submission of final list of awardees both for District and State level by districts to the Prl.CCF&HoFF,TS,Hyd., on or before 30th November every year;
 - iii) Submission of final list of awardees in all categories by State Level Monitoring and Co-Ordination Committee for TKHH to the Government on or before 15th December every year;
 - iv) Final notification by the Government indicating the names of awardees in all categories on or before 10th January every year.
10. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad is permitted to engage an external agency to evaluate the proposals received for all the categories of awards. The said agency will assist the District Level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee and the State Level Monitoring and Co-ordination Committee for Telanganaku Haritha Haram in finalizing the list of awardees.
11. The above awards shall be given to the awardees on 26th of January, the Republic Day, by the Hon'ble Chief Minister in a State Function.
12. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (DCM) Department, vide their U.O.No.10372/291/A3/DCM/2017, Dated:09.10.2017.
13. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take necessary action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

DR. RAJAT KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (HoFF),
Telangana State, Hyderabad.

All the Members of the respective Committees (through
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF))
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SECTION OFFICER

(Contd... to Annexure)

ANNEXURE to G.O.Ms.No.37, EFS&T (For.I) Department
Dated:02.11.2017

S.No.	Category	Nos.	Rate	Amount
A. District Level Awards				
i)	Individual Category			
1	Peoples Representative	31	1.00	31.00
2	Forest Department	31	1.00	31.00
3	Rural Dev. Department	31	1.00	31.00
4	Other Govt. Department	31	1.00	31.00
5	General	31	1.00	31.00
	Total	155		155.00
ii)	Institutional Category			
1	Gram Panchayat - 1st GP	31	5.00	155.00
2	Gram Panchayats - 2nd GP	31	3.00	93.00
3	Gram Panchayats - 3rd GP	31	2.00	62.00
4	Best Mandal	31	8.00	248.00
5	Best Ward in urban local body	31	5.00	155.00
6	Best Elementary School	31	2.00	62.00
7	Best High School	31	2.00	62.00
8	Best Junior College	31	2.00	62.00
9	Best Degree College	31	2.00	62.00
10	Best Technical College	31	2.00	62.00
11	Other Govt. Department	31	2.00	62.00
	Total	341		1085.00
B. State Level Awards				
i)	Individual Category			
1	Best Forest Officer	1	2.00	2.00
2	Best Officer - RD Dept.	1	2.00	2.00
3	Best Officer - Other Govt. Dept.	1	2.00	2.00
3	Best Peoples Representative	1	2.00	2.00
4	Best in General Public	1	2.00	2.00
	Total	5		10.00
ii)	Institutional Category			
1	Best District	1	15.00	15.00
2	Best Gram Panchayats	5	15.00	75.00
3	Best Municipality	2	15.00	30.00
4	Best Corporation	1	15.00	15.00
5	Best Mandal	2	15.00	30.00
6	Best Elementary School	1	5.00	5.00
7	Best High School	1	5.00	5.00
8	Best Junior College	1	5.00	5.00
9	Best Degree College	1	5.00	5.00
10	Best Technical College	1	5.00	5.00
11	Best University	1	15.00	15.00
12	Best Corporate Body	1	5.00	5.00
13	GHMC -1st Best ward	1	15.00	15.00
14	GHMC - 2nd Best Ward	1	10.00	10.00
15	GHMC - 3rd Best Ward	1	5.00	5.00
16	Best Govt. Department	1	10.00	10.00
	Total	22		250.00
	Grand Total	523		1500.00

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